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SUBJECT: ROLLS ROYCE COMPLETE PLANT SALE

REF: STATE 294999, PARA 3

1. BRITISH EMBASSY COMMERCIAL COUNSELOR TOLD USLO DECEMBER 16 THAT ROLLS ROYCE-SPEY ENGINE AGREEMENT CONSISTS OF THREE CONTRACTS: ONE FOR ENGINES, ONE FOR COMPLETE PLANT FOR MANUFACTURE OF ENGINES IN CHINA, AND ONE FOR TECHNOLOGY; TOTAL, \$160 MILLION. ROLLS ROYCE WILL ALSO PROVIDE ADDITIONAL TEST FACILITIES AND OTHER MATERIALS TO THE PRC WHICH MAY TOTAL AS MUCH AS ANOTHER \$40 MILLION. CHINESE HAVE INSISTED ON MINIMIZING THE NUMBER OF FOREIGN TECHNICIANS ASSOCIATED WITH PLANT PROJECT, SO MUCH SO THAT ROLLS ROYCE BELIEVES THAT NUMBER WILL PROBABLY EVENTUALLY HAVE TO BE INCREASED.

2. BRITISH COUNSELOR SAID THAT WASHINGTON HAD BEEN KEPT INFORMED ON DETAILS OF NEGOTIATIONS FOR COCOM PURPOSES.

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